

of the residual risks associated with the options relating to the project for permanent pumps and closure structures, Lake Pontchartrain, Louisiana.

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Dorgan (for Kaufman/Carper) Amendment No. 1891 (to Amendment No. 1813), to prevent Federal preemption of the planning processes of the State of Delaware regarding the Delaware River Main Channel Deepening Project.

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Dorgan (for Kyl/Collins) Amendment No. 1892 (to Amendment No. 1813), to prohibit funds appropriated for the Strategic Petroleum Reserve from being made available to any person that has engaged in certain activities with respect to the Islamic Republic of Iran.

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Nelson (FL)/Martinez Amendment No. 1852 (to Amendment No. 1813), to provide for the Federal share of the cost of Ten Mile Creek Water Preserve Area.

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Nelson (FL)/Martinez Modified Amendment No. 1893 (to Amendment No. 1813), to ensure that previously appropriated funding for the Tampa Harbor Big Bend Channel project is used for the original intended purpose of the funding and not reprogrammed.

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Dorgan Amendment No. 1813, in the nature of a substitute.

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Rejected:

By 35 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 245), Coburn Amendment No. 1879 (to Amendment No. 1813), to reduce the appropriation for Departmental Administration of the Department of Energy so that the Department can set an example for all Americans by reducing unnecessary energy usage.

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By 26 yeas to 71 nays (Vote No. 247), Coburn Amendment No. 1884 (to Amendment No. 1813), to prohibit no bid contracts by requiring the use of competitive procedures to award contracts and grants funded under this Act.

**Pages S8245–46, S8251**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 38 yeas to 59 nays (Vote No. 244), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to waive pursuant to section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, with respect to Alexander Amendment No. 1862 (to Amendment No. 1813), to limit disbursement of additional funds under the Troubled Asset Relief Program to certain automobile manufacturers, to impose fiduciary duties on the Secretary of the Treasury with respect to shareholders of such automobile manufacturers, to require the issuance of shares of common stock to eligible taxpayers which represent the common stock to eligible taxpayers which represent the common stock holdings of the United States Government in such

automobile manufacturers. Subsequently, the point of order that the amendment would increase mandatory spending, was sustained, and the amendment thus fell.

**Pages S8216, S8223–25**

Chair sustained a point of order against Nelson (NE) Amendment No. 1874 (to Amendment No. 1813), to express the sense of the Senate that the investment by the Federal Government in the automotive industry of the United States is temporary, as being in violation of rule XVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, pursuant to the precedent of May 17, 2000 (Lott Precedent), which prohibits legislation on an appropriation bill, and the amendment thus fell.

**Pages S8222–23, S8227**

Chair sustained a point of order against Corker Modified Amendment No. 1865 (to Amendment No. 1813), to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to delegate management authority over troubled assets purchased under the Troubled Asset Relief Program, to require the establishment of a trust to manage assets of certain designated TARP recipients, as being in violation of rule XVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, which prohibits legislation on an appropriation bill, and the amendment thus fell.

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Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint the following conferees on the part of the Senate: Senators Dorgan, Byrd, Murray, Feinstein, Johnson, Landrieu, Reed, Lautenberg, Harkin, Tester, Inouye, Bennett, Cochran, McConnell, Bond, Hutchison, Shelby, Alexander, and Voinovich.

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**National Direct Support Professionals Recognition Week:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 228, designating the week beginning September 14, 2009, as “National Direct Support Professionals Recognition Week”.

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**National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 229, designating the week beginning August 30, 2009, as “National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week”.

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**Richard A. Baker, Historian Emeritus of U.S. Senate:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 230, designating Richard A. Baker as Historian Emeritus of the United States Senate.

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**Highway Trust Fund Act—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that on Thursday, July 30, 2009, at a time to be determined by the Majority Leader, following consultation with the Republican Leader, Senate begin consideration of H.R. 3357, to restore sums to the